## MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS of the

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE Held at 5:00 PM Thursday, May 14, 2009

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#### Item 1. Roll Call

The meeting was called to order and the following answered present: James Camp III, Vice Chair; Gina Pozzuoli; Shirley Carson; Robert W. Kelley. Nicholas Tranakas, Chair, arrived @ 5.05 P.M. Also attending was Mike Tadros, CFO.

Absent: None

## Item 2. Review and Approval of the May 14, 2009 Regular Meeting Agenda

The Agenda was reviewed and no corrections or changes noted. Commissioner Pozzuoli moved approval; Commissioner Kelley seconded. All voted in the affirmative.

### Item 3. Review and Approval of the April 9, 2009 Regular Meeting Minutes

The Minutes were reviewed and no corrections or changes noted. Commissioner Pozzuoli moved approval; Commissioner Kelley seconded. All voted in the affirmative.

#### Item 4. SECRETARY'S REPORT

## 1. Approval of the 2009 Operating Budget

**Attachment 1** was a copy of the operating budget for 2009, to be used for comparison of actual income & expense report during the fiscal year.

The budgets for the following Programs were presented for review and approval:

## Public Housing

Kennedy Homes Sunnyland Homes

Sunnyland Homes

Suncrest Court

Sailboat Bend Apartments

Sunnyreach Acres

Sistrunk Gardens

Oakpark Apartments

- Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher
- · Affordable Housing
- Central Office

The E.D. and the CFO reviewed each program with the Board and requested a motion to approve the budget as presented. Commissioner Camp moved the motion to approve; Commissioner Pozzuoli seconded. All voted in the affirmative.

#### 2. Section 8 Management Assessment Program (SEMAP)

USHUD uses the SEMAP to evaluate how efficient housing authorities operate the Section 8 Program. The SEMAP score for year ended 12/31/2008 was 100, (out of a possible 100) which gives the Section 8 Program a High Performer rating. The E.D. updated the Board on this item.

#### 3. Board Election of Officers

This is an annual item scheduled for the May meeting. The Board agreed to re-appoint Commissioner Nicholas Tranakas as Chair and Commissioner James Camp as Vice Chair for another year.

Commissioner Pozzuoli moved the motion to re-appoint Commissioner Tranakas as Chair; Commissioner Kelley seconded. All voted in the affirmative.

Commissioner Carson moved the motion to re-appoint Commissioner Camp as Vice Chair; Commissioner Pozzuoli seconded. All voted in the affirmative.

# Item Five: NEW BUSINESS New Development Update

The E.D. updated the Board on the following items:

#### 1. Dixie Court Phase III

The Dixie Court Phase III Development Project is moving forward and on schedule.

#### 2. Alan Apartments Rehabilitation

The H/A received Tax Credit funding to rehab Alan Apartments and rebuild the surrounding areas. Rehab at Alan Apartments (exterior, interior and elevators) scheduled to start this fall.

#### 3. Dr. Kennedy Homes

The H/A will be submitting Tax Credit Applications this year for Dr. Kennedy Homes & Sunnyland Homes. The planning process for Dr. Kennedy Homes is moving along.

#### 4. Various Grant Funds

The H/A received funding from HUD, the State of Florida, the American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA) and the Neighborhood Stabilization Program Grants (NSP.) Monies from the various grants will be used to improve public housing site:

- Complete renovation on some of the newer hi-rise public housing buildings (Sunnyreach Acres, Sailboat Bend Apts., Sistrunk Gardens)
- Upgrade Sailboat Bend & Sunnyreach Acres with hurricane shutters, impact windows & doors
- Upgrade fire alarm and fire sprinkler system
- Replace roofs
- Fund the Step-up Apprentice Program

The H/A is also planning to apply for additional funds upgrade with energy efficient and water saving fixtures.

There being no further discussion the meeting was adjourned

Dr. Nicholas Tranakas, Chair

ATTEST:

Tam A. English

Executive Director/CEO/Secretary